

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JAMAL JAMES ELLIS,

Plaintiff,

v.

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT
OF CORRECTIONS, MIKE OBENLAND,
D. HEAWARD,

Defendants.

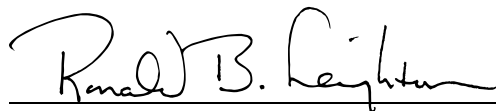
No. C14-5836 RBL-KLS

**ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND
RECOMMENDATION**

The Court, having reviewed the Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge Karen L. Strombom, objections to the Report and Recommendation, if any, and the remaining record, does hereby find and **ORDER:**

- (1) The Court adopts the Report and Recommendation.
- (2) This action is **Dismissed without Prejudice** for failure to state a claim.
- (3) Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Dkt. 1) is **DENIED**.
- (4) The Clerk is directed to send copies of this Order to Plaintiff and to the Hon. Karen L. Strombom.

DATED this 15th day of December, 2014.



RONALD B. LEIGHTON
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE